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TO: DR. JACQUES A. DAVIS
JACQUES DAVIS ASSOCIATES, INC.
82 WALL STREET
NEW YORK, NY

EO 11652: N/A
TAGS: ACOM, BEXP, EC
SUBJ: CACAO PROBLEM

REF YOU UNDATED CABLE RE. CACAO PROBLEM

1. CONGEN'S COMMERCIAL OFFICER DISCUSSED SITUATION
WITH MR. LUIS DIAZ OF INDUSTRIAL COMERCIAL LADA AND
EMBASSY QUITO'S COMMERCIAL STAFF DISCUSSED PROBLEM
WITH CENTRAL BANK.

2. IT IS A FACT THAT LADA SUBMITTED REQUEST TO LOCAL
GUAYAQUIL BRANCH OF CENTRAL BANK ON SEPT. 12, 1977 RE-
QUESTING APPROVAL TO EXPORT CACAO TO YOUR FIRM. IT IS
ALSO A FACT THAT THE MINISTRY'S EXPORT PROHIBITION WAS
EFFECTIVE AS OF SEPT. 14, 1977.

3. PROBLEM LIES WITH THE LEY DE CAMBIOS THAT IS
APPLIED BY THE CENTRAL BANK TO YOUR AND ALL REQUESTS
REGARDING THEIR APPROVAL OF EXPORTS. THE LEY DE
CAMBIOS STATES THAT THE CENTRAL BANK HAS THREE DAYS
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TO APPROVE OR REJECT AN APPLICATION. IT WAS UNFOR-
TUNATE THAT SEPT. 14, 1977 WAS WITHIN THE THREE-DAY
PERIOD GRANTED TO THE CENTRAL BANK BY THE LEY DE
CAMBIOS TO APPROVE OR REJECT THE APPLICATION. THE
BANK CHOSE TO HONOR THE DECREE PROHIBITING THE EXPORT
OF CACAO.

4. WE HAVE BEEN IN CONTACT WITH MR. LUIS DIAZ ANDRADE OF LADA AND HE IS CONTINUING HIS EFFORTS TO SOLVE THE PROBLEM. UNLESS OTHER FACTS ARE PRESENTED TO US, WE CANNOT PRESENTLY PROCEED FURTHER AS IT APPEARS THAT DUE TO THE LEY DE CAMBIOS, THE CENTRAL BANK HAS PROPERLY CONSIDERED LADA'S REQUEST.
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